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United States Attorney Southern District of New York

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March 27, 2020

The Honorable Sarah Cave United States Magistrate Judge Southern District of New York 500 Pearl Street New York, New York, 10007

Re: United States v. Hamid Akhavan, No. S1 20 Cr. 188 (JSR)

Dear Judge Cave:

The Government writes respectfully to request that the Court unseal the above-referenced indictment, S1 20 Cr. 188, be unsealed. I have been advised that Hamid Akhavan has now been arrested and is currently in custody in the Central District of California.

Respectfully submitted,

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SO ORDERED:

3/21/2000

HØNORABLE SÆRAH CAVE

UNITED STATÉS MAGISTRATE JUDGE